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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Dear Sir:

This paper is being submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed November 17, 2004. In a Preliminary Amendment being submitted concurrently herewith, the Applicants have cancelled claims 49-76 and added new claims 77-114. Without acquiescing to the statements made in the Restriction Requirement, Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, Species c drawn to the system of figure 6 for prosecution in the instant application and submit that all of the new claims 77-114 are readable upon the elected species. Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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